technological issues involve preparation and updation of database, specifications of cards, their production, issue and maintenance through a dedicated infrastructure. To understand the complexities and establish a sound base, pilot project has been undertaken for implementation currently.

(b) The pilot project is under implementation in selected sub-districts of 12 States and one Union Territory *viz.* Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Delhi, Goa, Gujarat, Jammu & Kashmir, Rajasthan, Tripura, Uttar Pradesh, Uttaranchal, Tamil Nadu, West Bengal and Pondicherry.

(c) The implementation of the pilot project had begun in November, 2003. Local population database has since been made ready alongwith the physical infrastructure facilities and manpower required at each of the 20 MNIC centers. The task of verification of citizenship has been completed for 53 percent of the population to be covered under the project excluding Assam. The identity cards are likely to be issued shortly.

Sale of land for revival of sick NTC Mills

*69. SHRI TARIQ ANWAR: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether with a view to reviving the sick mills placed under the National Textile Corporation (NTC), Government has decided to permit sale of large areas of land lying unused with these mills;

(b) if so, the total area of land with such Mills identified and set apart for sale in Mumbai and in Maharashtra and other States and how much of it has been sold and at what cost; and

(c) what steps have since been taken to modernize and revive the NTC Mills in Mumbai, and in Maharashtra and other States and the success so far achieved in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SHRI SHANKER SINH VAGHELA): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. In accordance with the Rehabilitation Scheme for NTC approved by Board of Industrial Financial Restructuring (BIFR), Government have decided to permit sale of lands of closed mills to revive the viable mills. Details are enclosed as Statement (*See* below).

(c) Government have identified 22 best performing mills of NTC (including five mills of Mumbai/Maharashtra) for modernization through the funds generated by sale of land and assets of the closed mills and of the surplus assets of mills identified as viable. In addition to this, 29 mills (including 11 mills of Mumbai/Maharashtra) have been identified for modernization and revival through Joint Venture. The Revival Scheme of NTC included settlement of accounts of Financial Institutions, mobilization of funds from the market by private placement of bonds, MVRS to surplus employees, closure of unviable mills, sale of surplus assets, payment of statutory dues, servicing of debt. NTC is in the process of completing these activities.

Statement

Details of Land of NTC Mills identified for sale, area and price at which the land have been sold-as on 31.1.2006

Annexure-1

Sl No	Name of the Subsidiary/State/Mill	Total Area of Land Available For Sale (in acres)	Area of Land Actually Sold (in acres)	Price at Which Land Sold (Rs. Crores)
	1	2	3	4
	LAND			
	NTC (APKK&M) Ltd., Bangalore			
	(a) ANDHRA PRADESH			
1	Netha Mills, Secunderabad	10.84	9.83	24.02
2	Natraj Mills, Nirmal	70.00	70.00	2.31
3	Tirupati Mills, Reningunta	47.36	-	-
4	Anantpur Mills, Tadapatri	9.25	-	-
5	Azam Jahi Mills, Warrangal	200.25	200.25	49.72
6	Adoni Mills, Adoni	7.17	-	-
	(b) KARNATAKA			
7	Mysore Mills, Bangalore	27.79	18.69	79.16
8	MSK Mills, Gulbarga	205.32	165.20	17.08
9	Sree Yellamma, Tolahunse	98.80	98.80	2.12
10	Minerva Mills, Bangalore	30.00	28.37	80.41
	(c) KERALA			
11	Algappa Textile Mills	8.06	1.96	0.49
12	Kerala Luxmi Mills, Trichur	30.11	14.19	2.15
	TOTAL	**744.95**	**607.29**	**257.46**

	1	2	3	4
	NTC (DP&R) Ltd., N. Delhi			
	(a) DELHI			
13	Ajudhia Textile Mills, Delhi	8.98	4.54	67.01
	(b) PUNJAB			
14	Kharar Textile Mills, Kharar	26.38	8.28	1.05
15	Suraj Textle Mills, Malout	7.05	7.05	0.56
16	Dayalbagh Mills, Amritsar	9.84	-	-
17	Panipat Woollen Mills, Kharar	20.29	7.69	12.50
	(c) RAJASTHAN			
18	Udaipur Cotton Mills, Udaipur	29.77	29.77	15.12
19	Edward Mills, Beawar	18.28	-	-
20	Mahalaxmi Mills, Beawar	5.17	-	-
21	Bijayanagar Cotton Mills, Bijaynagar	7.83	7.83	1.95
	TOTAL	**133.59**	**65.16**	**98.19**
	NTC(Gujarat) Ltd., Ahmedabad			
	GUJARAT			
22	Ahmedabad New Textile Mills	7.45	-	-
23	Rajkot Textile Mills, Rajkot	8.72	-	-
24	Ahmedabad Jupiter Textile Mills, Ahmd.	22.44	-	-
25	Jehangir Textile Mills, Ahmedabad	16.30	-	-
26	Rajnagar Textile Mills No. 1 Ahmedabad	12.11	-	-
27	New Manekchowk Mills, Ahmedabad	8.99	-	-
28	Mahalaxmi Textile Mills, Bhavnagar	16.32	-	-
29	Himadri Textile Mills, Ahmedabad	7.22	-	-
30	Petlad Textile Mills, Petlad	29.28	-	-
31	Viramgam Textile Mills, Viramgam	50.91	-	-
32	Fine Knitting Mills, Ahmedabad	8.38	-	-
	TOTAL	**188.12**	-	-
	NTC (MN) Ltd., Mumbai			
	MAHARASHTRA NORTH			
33	RBBA Mills, Hinghanghat			
	(Plot No. 1 with old bunglow)	5.95	-	-
	Ginning & Processing Factory	5.95	-	-
34	Savatram Ram Prasad Mills, Akola	0.52	0.10	0.09
35	Vidarbha Mills Achalpur (Plot No. 1-2)	17.05	4.99	0.50
	Plot No. 6		0.89	0.36
36	Model Mills, Nagpur	33.31	-	-
	Model Mills (Plot No. 2)	-	0.21	0.36
	Model Mills (Plot No. 1) Near S.T. Stand	-	6.98	9.50
37	RSRG Mills, Akola (Plot No. 3)	15.81	1.96	0.45
	Plot No. 1	-	1.10	0.25
	Plot No. 2	-	1.06	0.30
38	Tata Mills, Mumbai	10.62	4.40	13.75
39	Indu Mills No. 1, Mumbai	8.71	-	-
40	Indu Mills No. 6, Mumbai	4.57	-	-

	1	2	3	4
41	Indu Mills No. 2, Mumbai	16.04	-	-
42	Jam Mills, Mumbai	7.99	-	-
43	Indu Mills No. 4, Mumbai	7.79	-	-
44	Sita Ram Mills Mumbai	8.43	-	-
45-46	Kohinoor Mills No. 1 & 2, Mumbai	14.55	-	-
47	Kohinoor Mills No. 3, Mumbai	4.84	4.84	421.00
48	Indu Mills No. 3, Kalachowki, Mumbai	5.40	-	-
	TOTAL	167.53	26.53	446.56
	NTC (MP) Limited, Indore			
	MADHYA PRADESH			
49	New Bhopal Textiles Mills	79.10	-	-
50	Burhanpur Tapti Mills, Burhanpur	42.85	-	-
51	Indore Malwa Mills, Indore	103.80	-	-
52	Hira Mills, Ujjain	69.20	-	-
53	Kalyanmal Mills, Indore	33.57	-	-
54	Swadesh Cotton Mills, Indore	15.32	-	-
55	Bengal Nagpur Cotton Mills, Rajnandgaon	52.10	-	-
	TOTAL	394.94	-	-
	NTC (SM) Ltd., Mumbai			
	MAHARASHTRA SOUTH			
56	Barshi Mills, Barshi	36.50	1.87	0.12
57	Dhule Textile Mills, Dhule	12.80	10.28	2.52
58	Challisgaon Mills, Challisgaon	17.54	9.54	3.04
59	Apollo Mills, Mumbai	9.98	7.43	180.00
60	Gold Mohur Mills, Mumbai	6.52	-	-
61	Madhusudan Mills Mumbai	18.05	-	-
62	Mumbai Textile Mills, Mumbai	23.83	16.62	702.22
63	Jupiter Textile Mills, Mumbai	10.91	10.91	276.60
64	Elphinstone Mills, Mumbai	8.91	8.49	441.75
65	Bharat Mills, Mumbai	8.37	-	-
66	New Hind Mills, Mumbai	8.33	-	-
67	Digvijay Mills, Mumbai	9.33	-	-
68	Aurangabad Mills, Aurangabad	15.74	-	-
69	Podar Process, Mumbai	2.39	-	-
70	Nanded Mills, Nanded	91.42	-	-
	TOTAL	280.62	65.14	1606.25
	NTC (TN&P) Ltd., Coimbatore			
	(a) TAMIL NADU			
71	Pankaja Mills, Coimbatore	11.07	0.34	0.69
72	Omparasakthi Mills, Coimbatore	14.25	14.25	4.50
73	Kalleswarar ';A' Mills	16.06	0.19	0.54
74	Sri Rangavilas Mills, Coimbatore	17.20	9.67	15.82
75	Coimbatore Murugan Mills, Cmb.	2.31	0.85	1.89
76	Kothandaram Mills, Madurai	2.66	-	-

	1	2	3	4
77	Krishnaveni Millls, Coimbatore	4.52	4.52	5.20
78	Balramvarma Mills, Shencottah	20.20	-	-
79	Somasundaram Mills, Coimbatore	7.43	-	-
80	Sri Sarda Mills, Coimbatore	3.45	-	-
81	Coimbatore Spg. & Wvg. Mills.	20.49	-	-
	(b) PONDICHERRY			
82	Swadeshi Cotton Mills, Pondicherry	10.37	10.37	12.67
83	Swadeshi Cotton Mills, Pondicherry	42.93	42.93	"
84	Sri Bharti Mills, Pondicherry	15.12	15.12	"
	TOTAL	**188.06**	**98.24**	**41.31**
	NTC (UP) Ltd., Kanpur			
	UTTAR PRADESH			
85	Swadeshi Cotton Mills, Naini	12.62	-	-
86	Bijli Cotton Mills, Hathras	7.56	-	-
87	Swadeshi Cotton Mills, Kanpur (36 Plots)	55.86	3.23	7.50
88	Lord Krishna Mills, Saharanpur	24.70	-	-
89	Swadeshi Mills, Maunathbhanjan	9.20	-	-
90	Atherton Mills, Kanpur	20.70	-	-
91	Luxmi Rattan Mills, kanpur	13.48	-	-
92	New Victoria Mills, Kanpur	29.67		
93	Muir Mills, Kanpur	37.28	-	-
94	Sree Vikram Mills, Lucknow	8.14	-	-
95	Raibareilley Textile Mills, Raibareilley	30.43	-	-
	TOTAL	**249.64**	**3.23**	**7.50**
	NTC (WBABO) Ltd., Kolkata			
	(a) WEST BENGAL			
96	Luxmi Narayan Textiles Mills, Rishra	14.32	-	-
97	Rampooria Textile Mills, Sereampore	30.60	-	-
98	Bangal Luxmi Tex. Mills, Serampore	27.97	-	-
99	Bangashri Textile Mills, Sukhchar	29.08	-	-
100	Central Cotton Textile Mlis Belur	11.67	11.67	13.35
101	Shree Mahalaxmi Textile Mills, Palta	11.24	-	-
102	Bengal Fine Tex. Mills No. 2 Kattaganj	19.44	-	-
103	Bengal Fine Tex. Mills No. 1 Konnagar	18.83	-	-
104	Aarti Cotton Textile Mills, Howrah	6.25	-	-
105	Manindra B.T. Tex. Mills, Cossimbazar	35.28	-	-
106	Jyoti Weaving Factory, Kolkara	4.29	4.29	13.31
	(b) ASSAM			
107	Associated Industries, Chandrapur	50.00	-	-
	(c) BIHAR			
108	Gaya Cotton Textile Mills, Gaya	32.77	-	-
109	Bihar Cooperative Tex. Mills Mokameh	22.20	-	-

1	2	3	4
(d) ORISSA			
110 Orissa Cotton Textile Mills, Bhagatpur	62.17	-	-
TOTAL	**376.62**	**15.96**	25.06
GRAND TOTAL	**2725.07**	**881.55**	2483.93

*Rs. 39.38 crores is receiveable from Govt. of Pondicherry as cost of the two mills transferred to them on 1.4.2005

Maoist violence

†*70. SHRI RAJ MOHINDER SINGH MAJITHA:
SHRI RAM JETHMALANI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there has been an increase in the violence by Maoists in the year 2005 in comparison to the year 2004;

(b) if so, the likely percentage of increase in the violence;

(c) whether it is also a fact that Maoist violence has spread to thirteen States of the country so far; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the reasons behind the spread of such violence?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) and (b) While some of the naxal affected States have shown increased naxal violence in 2005 compared to 2004, there has been a decline in naxal violence in some other States affected by naxalite menace. Overall, the quantum of naxal violence has shown a marginal increase of 3.8% in 2005 in comparison to 2004 while the resultant casualties have increased by 18%.

(c) and (d) The number of police stations state-wise from where naxal violence was reported in 2003, 2004 and 2005 are as under:—

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.